SPANISH COLONIAL EIGHT REALES

A date listing from 1732-1825

Covering the mints of Potosi, Santiago,
Nuevo Reino, Popayan, Guatemala,
Mexico City, Lima and Cuzco.

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Within the following pages can be found a tremendous amount of data about the milled edge pillar and portrait style colonial eight reales produced at the various South and Central American mints. A preliminary draft of the related items from the Mexico City mint is also included. This project was conceived as a mechanism to illustrate the considerable depth and importance of the fabulous Ray Johnson collection as sold by my company over four auctions from 1981 to 1983. That purpose is clearly served.

Collectors studying this monograph will be pleased to discover much information in addition to the recapitulation of Ray's collection. Most of the major references and auctions of the past decade were used in order to represent as fully as possible which items exist and are published in reviewable form. I tried to cite publications that include clear photographs whenever possible.

Actually, most of the confirmation data and rarity rating information was extracted from my own extensive reference files. This information has been assembled since 1965; since 1975, I have been especially diligent in updating it. Nonetheless, many pieces have only one to four confirmations. Because many items are very scarce, it will be necessary to review many of the "great collections" before a formal presentation of this work can be published. Many rarities reside quietly in those collections for long periods of time and receive little publicity. Research and information about important pieces is solicited for future use.

This pamphlet is essentially a "preliminary draft" of these sections of my planned new reference book covering all Latin American crowns. It is now obvious that hundreds of additional hours will be required to assemble all sections of such a compendium. Consequently I have decided to develop individual segments every few months over the next year or two. As these are finalized, I may publish additional booklets such as this.

With my numbering system and style, it will be relatively easy to amend the listings. New major varieties, confirmations of uncertain dates, incorrect rarity ratings and other such details can be changed. Therefore I encourage all collectors to critically review any and all sections of which they have considerable knowledge. Please communicate with me about the strengths and weaknesses of my presentation and data. I am neither naive nor sacrosanct; there is much to improve within these pages!

At this point, I will review the significance of each column and provide bibliographical information.

F. CRAIG Numbering System. I have developed a new and different approach to numbering my reference. It is based on the belief that "date collectors" enjoy getting one of each number (provides completeness and order) but do not wish to be burdened by major and minor varieties and overdates. Conventional reference book numbering is often done with little innovation and is usually what is most convenient for the cataloguer himself.

Each "major" listing receives a sequential "primary number." Each primary number that has no subscript letter following it is actually an "a" (i.e., Potosi #1 = 1a).

Only major changes in data induce the use of the next "primary number." These possible changes include: a) a different date; b) a different assayer; c) a different portrait; d) a different indication of ruling monarch or change in how his arabic numeral is designated (i.e. IV is different than IIII); e) change in crowns above pillars from two royal crowns to one each of royal and imperial style.

Varieties are distinguished by new subscript letters, beginning with "a" representing the standard or earliest emission of that item. Varieties are defined as differences not significant enough to create new primary number usage. Varieties in this series include: f) overdates; g) over-assayer initials; h) error spellings in legends; j) change in style of date numerals; k) change in flan size; l) change in type of flan used; m) changes in military jacket or location of wreath on head; n) small changes in size of bust; and p) use of dots over mintmarks.

The only exception to these rules is the "arabic 5" 1754J Guatemala pillar which seems significant as the earliest pillar style of that series. Perhaps it should not have been given a primary number; such can be discussed.

Thus the date collector needs to obtain *one and only one* of each "F. CRAIG primary number." Thus, for Potosi, a date collector would be pursuing 60 pieces rather than 72 by Elizondo number or 89 as listed by Calbeto.

I should also note that the present format might appear confusing since the listing of overdates comes before plain dates causing the subscript "b" to precede the "a." In the finalized format, the listing would appear as follows.

(All Potosi 8 Reales)

#3 1769JR
- a) date listed without reference to style of date numeral 9.
- b) fancy style 9 in date
- c) rounded style 9 punched over fancy style 9
- d) rounded style 9

#4 1770JR
- a) plain (unamended) date
- b) overdate of 1770/1769

ELIZONDO NUMBER. The number assigned that particular coin in Carlos A. Elizondo Jr.'s *Eight Reales and Pesos of the New World,* Second edition of 1971. This remains the standard date listing reference for this series.

CALBETO NUMBER. The number from Gabriel Calbeto's *Compendio de las Piezas de Ocho Reales,* 1970. This massive two-volume book is my favorite as it contains photographs of nearly all dates. The research information is good if not excellent. Out-of-print and not easy to locate but worth the effort.

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POTOSI MINT (Upper Peru - now Bolivia)

F. Craig #	Elizondo #	Calbeto #	Date	Assayer initials	Ray Johnson sale #	Lot # in that sale	Grade of R.J. coin	AVF Rarity Rating	EF+ Rarity Rating	Attribution data; comments; confirmation
1	1	1229	1767	JR	3	14	VF	5	6	Pillar style; first year; royal crowns on both pillars
2a	3	1231	1768	JR	4	13	VE-EF	4	5	normal legend with "VTRA"
2b	2	-	1768	JR	3	15	VF	8	10	misspelled legend with "VRTA"
-	-	-	1769/8	JR	-	-	-	-	-	probably does not exist; actually rounded over fancy 9
3b	5	1235	1769	JR	-	-	-	3	4	fancy style 9 in date; see FLC 11/83 sale, lot 49
3c	-	-	1769	JR	-	-	-	4	6	rounded 9 punched over fancy 9. FLC 11/83, lot 48
3d	4	1234	1769	JR	2	7	VF-EF	3	4	rounded 9 style
4b	-	-	1770/69	JR	3	17	VF	5	6	certain overdate
4a	6	1238	1770	JR	4	15	A.UNC	1	3	varieties with and without dot between "CAROLUS III"
-	7,8,9	1241 1244	1771-2-3	JR	-	-	-	-	-	Pillar style. Genuine pieces nonexistent. Altered data
-	10	1245	1772	JR	-	-	-	-	-	Bust style. Genuine pieces nonexistent. Altered date
5	11	1249	1773	JR	2	9	EF	3	4	Bust style-earliest confirmed date of type
6	12	1250	1774	JR	1	46	UNC	1	3	hoard of 35-50 pieces in Proof-like found in 1974
7	13	1251	1775	JR	4	17	AU-UNC	2	3	
8	14	1252	1776	JR	2	12	EF-AU	4	6	
9	15	1253	1776	PR	2	13	VF-EF	3	5	
10	16	1254-6	1777	PR	2	14	VF-EF	2	3	
11	17	1257	1778	PR	1	47	A.UNC	2	3	
-	18	-	1778	PR	-	-	-	-	-	"NEX" instead of "REX"; 4R exists but probably not 8R
12	19	1258-9	1779	PR	2	16	EF	2	3	
13	20	1260-1	1780	PR	2	17	VF-EF	2	3	
14b	-	1263	1781/0	PR	-	-	-	-	-	Overdate inconclusive in Calbeto photo
14a	21	1262,4	1781	PR	3	21	EF+	2	3	
15	22	1265-6	1782	PR	3	22	VF	3	5	
16b	-	1267?	1783/1	PR	3	23	VF	-	-	unclear overdate
16c	-	1268	1783/2	PR	3	24	VF-EF	4	6	clear and certain overdate
16a	23	1269	1783	PR	-	-	-	4	5	see FLC sale 11/1983, lot 53
-	-	1271	1784/3	PR	-	-	-	-	-	existence of overdate is unconfirmed.
17	24	1270,2	1784	PR	3	25	VF-EF	4	5	
18b	-	1273	1785/4	PR	3	26	VF+	5	7	
18a	25	1274	1785	PR	3	27	VF+	5	6	
19b	-	1275	1786/5	PR	3	28	VF	5	8	
19a	26	1276	1786	PR	3	29	VF+	4	7	
20	27	1277	1787	PR	3	30	VF-EF	3	5	
21b	-	1278	1788/7	PR	-	-	-	-	-	Calbeto photo looks like an overdate
21a	28	1279	1788	PR	3	31	EF	2	4	
-	-	-	1789/8	PR	-	-	-	-	-	weak overdate cited; no firm overdate seen.
22	29	1280	1789	PR	4	20	VF-EF	4	7	Carolus III legend & bust (posthumous)
23	30	1281	1789	PR	-	-	-	3	6	Carolus IV legend but bust Carlos III. FLC 11/83, #60
24	31	1282	1790	PR	3	33	A.UNC	2	5	Carolus IV legend but bust Carlos III
-	32	1283	1791	PR	-	-	-	-	-	Carolus IV. Only altered pieces are known
25	33	1284	1791	PR	2	19	EF-AU	3	5	Carolus IIII legend and bust
26	34	1285	1792	PR	1	49	EF-AU	2	4	
27	35	1286	1793	PR	1	50	VF-EF	2	4	
28	36	1287	1794	PR	1	51	VF-EF	2	4	
-	-	1288	1795/4	PR	-	-	-	-	-	overdate in Calbeto photo is inconclusive
29	37	1289	1795	PR	1	52	VF	3	7	
30	38	1290-1	1795	PP	1	54	VF	2	5	
31	39	1292	1796	PP	1	55	EF+	2	4	
32	40	1293	1797	PP	1	56	VF	2	4	
33	41	1294	1798	PP	1	57	EF+	2	4	
34	42	1295	1799	PP	1	58	VF+	2	4	
35	43	1296	1800	PP	1	59	EF	2	5	
36	44	1297	1801	PP	1	60	EF	2	4	
37	45	1298	1802	PP	1	61	VF-EF	2	4	

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38	46	1299	1803	PJ	1	79	F-VF	2	4	
39	47	1300	1804	PJ	1	62	AU-UNC	1	4	
40	48	1301	1805	PJ	4	25	EF-AU	1	4	
41	49	1302	1806	PJ	1	64	EF-AU	1	4	
42	50	1303	1807	PJ	-	-	-	2	4	FLC list 37 & Sierra list 14 (October, 1983)
43	51	1304	1808	PJ	1	65	EF-AU	1	2	Carolus IIII; various minor varieties exist
44	52	1305	1808	PJ	4	26	EF-	2	4	Ferdin VII proper bust (struck circa 1812?)
45	53	1306	1809	PJ	1	66	VF+	2	4	Ferdin VII proper bust (struck circa 1812?)
-	54	1307	1810	PJ	-	-	-	-	-	Does not exist - all are altered dates
-	55	1308	1811	PJ	-	-	-	-	-	Does not exist - all are altered dates (Elizondo photo)
-	56	1309	1812	PJ	-	-	-	-	-	Does not exist - all are altered dates
46a	57	1310	1813	PJ	1	67	AEF	2	4	FERDIN VII - normal legend
46b	58	1311	1813	PJ	4	27	EF+	5	7	FERDIN IIV - error legend
47	59	1312	1814	PJ	1	68	A.UNC	2	4	
48	60	1313	1815	PJ	4	28	AEF	2	5	
49	61	1314	1816	PJ	1	69	EF	2	5	
50	62	1315	1817	PJ	1	79	AVF	1	3	
51	63	1316	1818	PJ	1	70	EF-AU	1	4	
52	64	1317	1819	PJ	1	71	EF	1	3	
53	65	1318	1820	PJ	3	37	EF	1	2	
54	66	1319-20	1821	PJ	1	72	EF	1	2	
55	67	1321	1822	PJ	1	73	EF+	2	3	
56	68	1322	1823	PJ	2	23	EF-AU	1	2	
57	69	1323,5	1824	PJ	1	75	EF+	1	2	
58	70	1324	1824	J	1	76	EF+	5	7	
59	71	1326-7	1825	J	1	77	VF-EF	4	6	
60	72	1328-9	1825	JL	2	24	EF+	1	1	final colonial crown; note C1329 without flor-de-lis

Recap of Potosi: 60 primary items plus 15 notable varieties.

SANTIAGO MINT (Chile)

1	1	1368	1751	J	-	-	-	9	10	existence verified by D.C.
-	-	-	1752	J	-	-	-	-	-	probably does not exist except crude "fantasies"
2	2	1369	1753	J	-	-	-	9	9	Calbeto photo from Dasi, volume 3. Genuine
-	3	-	1754	J	-	-	-	-	-	probably does not exist
3b	4	1370	1755/4	J	-	-	-	8	8	M.M. collection; Calbeto photo
3a	5	1371	1755	J	-	-	-	-	-	All may be 1755/4 including Elizondo plate coin
-	6	1372	1756	J	-	-	-	-	-	probably does not exist
-	7	1373	1757	J	-	-	-	-	-	probably does not exist
4	8	1374-5	1758	J	4	107	VF+	6	8	note "FERDINANDUS". Probably 12-15 exist
-	-	-	1760	J	-	-	-	-	-	Ferdinand VI legend; probably does not exist
5	9	1376	1760	J	-	-	-	8	10	Carolus III. Confirmed (genuine) in Singapore
-	-	-	1761	J	-	-	-	-	-	probably does not exist
6	10	1377	1762	J	-	-	-	9	10	Calbeto photo (genuine) - only specimen traced
-	11	1378	1763	J	-	-	-	-	-	May not exist - no confirmation
7	12	1379	1764	J	-	-	-	8	10	Faistauer/Jess Peters, April 1976, lot 409
8	13	1380	1765	J	-	-	-	9	10	Randolph Zander collection - only specimen traced
-	-	1381	1766	J	-	-	-	-	-	probably does not exist
9	14	1382	1767	J	-	-	-	8	10	M.M. Collection (genuine coin)
10	15	1383	1768	A	-	-	-	5	7	Superior 1975 ANA, lot 1781. "Common" - 20+ exist
11	16	1384	1769	A	-	-	-	9	10	existence verified by D.C.
12	-	-	1770/69	A	-	-	-	9	10	Christensen sale Dec. 1982, lot 1120
-	-	1385	1771	A?	-	-	-	-	-	Both specimens seen were altered
-	-	1386	1772	A?	-	-	-	-	-	Probably does not exist
13	19	1387	1773	DA	-	-	-	9	10	Carlos III bust. Glendening 9/21/81, lot 151 (photo)
-	20	1388	1774	DA	-	-	-	-	-	Existence is questionable. No photos located
14	21	1389	1775	DA	4	108	VF	9	10	

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15	22	1390	1776/5	DA	2	25	VF-EF	8	10	the only high-grade example is an overdate
16	23	1391	1777	DA	3	69	AVF	7	10	
-	24	1392	1778	DA	-	-	-	-	-	Calbeto without photo; we cannot confirm
17b	25	-	1779/8	DA	2	26	VF+	6	8	
17a	26	1393	1779	DA	2	27	Fine+	6	9	non-overdates are confirmed
18	27	1394	1780	DA	3	70	Fine+	6	10	
19	28	1395	1781	DA	4	109	VF+	8	9	
20	29	1396	1782	DA	1	100	F-VF	7	9	
21b	30	1397	1783/2	DA	-	-	-	7	9	Christensen 12/67, #2165 (VF, plugged-photo)
21a	31	1398	1783	DA	-	-	-	-	-	all may be 1783/2 overdate
22	32	1399	1784	DA	1	101	F-VF	5	8	first year of new larger mintmark (subtype)
23b	33	1400	1785/4	DA	-	-	-	6	8	Calbeto plate coin now in D.C. collection
23a	34	-	1785	DA	2	28	VF	6	10	RJ specimen had no evidence of overdate
24	35	1401	1786	DA	1	102	AVF	5	7	
25	36	1402	1787	DA	4	110	VF+	7	9	
26	37	1403	1788	DA	1	103	Fine+	3	7	noticably the most "common" date of this type
27b	-	1404	1789/8	DA	-	-	-	7	8	Calbeto plate of genuine coin is an overdate
27a	38	1405	1789	DA	-	-	-	-	-	Calico (1981) plate may be an overdate
28	39	1406	1789	DA	1	104	EF+	6	8	"CAROLUS IV" transitional with bust Carlos III
29	40	1407	1790	DA	4	111	VF	4	7	CAROLUS IV
30	41	1408	1791	DA	3	71	VF-EF	4	6	CAROLUS IV
-	-	-	1790	DA	-	-	-	-	-	CAROLUS IIII with bust Carlos III. Does not exist
31	42	1409	1791	DA	3	72	VF	6	7	CAROLUS IIII with proper bust of Carolos IIII
32	43	1410	1792	DA	1	105	VF+	5	8	
33	44	1411	1793	DA	1	106	VF	4	6	
34	45	1412	1794	DA	2	29	EF-AU	4	6	
35	46	1413	1795	DA	2	30	AEF	6	8	
36b	-	-	1796/5	DA	-	-	-	5	8	Leo Mooy collection; also FLC & Co., list 14 (9/74)
36a	47	1414	1796	DA	2	31	VF	4	6	
36c	48	1415	1796	DA	-	-	-	8	8	"CRAROLUS" error (actually C over R). FLC #14 (9/74)
37b	-	-	1797/6	DA	-	-	-	6	8	FLC & Co. auction Nov. 1983, lot 153
37a	49	1416	1797	DA	2	32	EF	3	5	
38	50	1417	1798	DA	1	108	EF	5	7	
39	51	1418	1799	DA	1	109	VF	4	6	
40a	52	1419	1800	AJ	1	110	EF+	4	6	"CAROLVS" normal spelling
40b	-	-	1800	AJ	-	-	-	9	10	"CROLVS" error. FLC auction 3/81, lot 46
-	53	-	1801/0	AJ	-	-	-	-	-	overdate is unconfirmed
41	54	1420	1801	AJ	1	111	F-VF	4	6	
42b	-	-	1802/1	JJ AJ	-	-	-	6	7	FLC auction 3/81, lot 48
42a	55	1421	1802	JJ	1	112	EF+	5	6	
43b	56	-	1803/2	FJ JJ	1	113	EF-AU	5	6	
43c	-	-	1803	FJ JJ	-	-	-	4	6	FLC & Co. list 14 of September 1974
43a	57	1422	1803	FJ	1	114	A.UNC	4	6	
44b	-	1423-4	1804/3	FJ	-	-	-	6	7	FLC & Co. auction 3/81, lot 49
44a	58	1425	1804	FJ	3	75	VF-EF	3	4	
45	59	1426	1805	FJ	4	113	A.UNC	3	4	
46b	-	-	1806/5	FJ	-	-	-	4	6	FLC & Co. list 14 of September, 1974
46a	60	1427	1806	FJ	-	-	-	4	6	FLC list 40 (12/77). Are all overdates?
47	61	1428	1807	FJ	2	33	EF-AU	3	6	
48	62	1429-30	1808	FJ	2	34	EF-AU	5	6	CAROLVS IIII with his bust
49	63	1431	1808	FJ	4	114	VF+	6	8	FERDIN VII with local military bust
50a	64	-	1809	FJ	4	115	EF	4	6	military jacket with buttons visible
50b	65	1432	1809	FJ	2	35	VF	4	6	military jacket without visible buttons
51a	66	1433	1810	FJ	1	116	AEF	3	5	military bust with wreath on head away from forehead

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51b	67	1434	1810	FJ	-	-	-	3	5	with wreath close to forehead. Elizondo photo is this
52	68	1435	1811	FJ	2	36	VF+	3	6	military bust with wreath
-	69	1436	1811	FJ	-	-	-	-	-	Proper (normal) Ferdinand bust. All altered dates?
53	70	1437	1812	FJ	3	78	EF-AU	3	4	
54	71	1438	1813	FJ	2	37	EF-AU	2	4	
55	72	1439	1814	FJ	1	118	AU-UNC	2	4	
56	73	1440	1815	FJ	4	117	UNC	2	4	
-	74	-	1816/5	FJ	-	-	-	-	-	overdate remains unconfirmed
57	75	1441	1816	FJ	1	119	EF-AU	2	4	
58	76	1442	1817	FJ	3	82	VF	5	8	
-	77	1444	1818	FJ	-	-	-	-	-	Calbeto photo. All are altered dates?

NUEVO REINO - SANTA FE de Bogota (Colombia)

1	1	1367	1759	JV	-	-	-	6	7	''FERDND VI'' pillar. Superior 1975 ANA, lot 1794
2	-	-	1762	JV	-	-	-	9	10	CAROLUS III. Calico (1981) photo - D.C. collection

POPAYAN (Colombia)

1	2	942	1810	JF	-	-	-	8	10	Calbeto photo - now S.V.S. collection
2	3	943	1811	JF	4	123	VF+	6	8	
3	4	944	1812	JF	3	83	F-VF	7	9	
4b	5	-	1813/2	JF	-	-	-	7	10	Elizondo photo (unclear). Clear overdate in F.C. collection
4a	6	945	1813	JF	-	-	-	7	10	Calbeto photo. Also Faistauer/Peters 4/76, #187
5b	-	946	1814/3	JF	1A	1171	AVF, chops	5	7	FLC 10/30/81 auction. Most available date of type
5a	8	-	1814	JF	-	-	-	8	10	most are overdates but not Ponterio 6/82, lot 465
-	9	947	1815	JF	-	-	-	-	-	all pieces examined are altered
6	10	948	1816	F	3	84	AVF	5	7	
7	11	949	1820	MF	-	-	-	9	10	L.M. collection example is apparently genuine
-	12	950	1820	FM	-	-	-	-	-	No unaltered pieces have been located

GUATEMALA MINT (G mint mark through 1773. Then NG)

1	1	158	1754	J	3	86	VF	7	10	small J initial with proper (non-colonial) style 5 in date
2	2	159	1754	J	1	127	VF+	6	10	small J and typical colonial style 5. Elizondo confusion
3a	5	160	1755	J	1	128	VF	6	9	small J initial (like both 1754 issues)
-	4	-	1755	J	-	-	-	-	-	Elizondo's medium J does not exist
3b	3	161	1755	J	2	41	VF+	5	9	large ''capital'' J (like all 1756-1758 pieces)
4b	-	-	1756/5	J	-	-	-	8	9	FLC auction November, 1983, lot 199
4a	6	162	1756	J	1	129	VF+	4	6	
5	7	163	1757	J	2	42	VF-EF	4	6	
6	8	164-5	1758	J	-	-	-	3	5	common date. FLC & Co. auction 11/83, lot 200
-	9	-	1759	J	-	-	-	-	-	Existence of this assayer is unlikely
7	10	167	1759	P	1	130	VF-EF	4	6	
8	11	168	1760	P	2	43	EF	5	6	FERDINAND VI
9	12	169	1760	P	-	-	-	6	7	CAROLUS III. Calbeto photo. Faistauer/Peters 4/76, lot 139
10	13	170	1761	P	3	87	VF-EF	4	6	
11	14	171	1762	P	1	132	VF	3	6	
12	15	172	1763	P	2	46	VF	3	6	
13	16	173	1764	P	1	133	VF+, plug	5	7	
14	17	174	1765	P	1	134	Fine	6	9	
15	18	175	1766	P	1	135	EF	5	7	
16	19	176	1767	P	3	89	VF, plug	5	8	
17	20	177	1768	P	1	136	AEF	2	5	
18a	21	179	1769	P	4	140	VF	6	7	large (full size) flan like 1754-1768
18b	21	178	1769	P	2	48	EF+	3	5	smaller (slightly thicker) flan like 1770-1771

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19	22	180	1770	P	1	138	VF	2	5	
-	-	181	1771/0	P	1	139	VF	-	-	RJ coin was Ex-Calbeto and had no visible overdate!
20	23	182	1771	P	2	50	VF	3	7	
-	24	-	1772	P	-	-	-	-	-	Pillar style. Existence is highly doubtful
21	25	183	1772	P	2	51	VF	4	10	bust style; 'G' mintmark (Antiqua mint before earthquake)
22	26	184	1773	P	4	141	VF	4	10	
23	28	-	1776	P	1	140	VF	8	10	first year of new mint with ''NG'' punched over ''GN''
-	29	-	1776	P	-	-	-	-	-	listed by Elizondo without NG/GN but unconfirmed
24	30	185	1777	P	1	141	VF-EF	4	7	
25	31	186	1778	P	2	91	VF+	5	8	
26	32	187	1779	P	3	82	VF-EF	5	7	
27	33	188	1780	P	-	-	-	8	9	Calbeto has photo
28	34	189	1781	P	2	54	EF	6	8	
29	35	190	1782	P	2	55	VF+	6	8	
30	36	191	1783	P	4	142	VF	5	8	
-	37	192	1784	P	-	-	-	-	-	existence of date is doubtful
-	38	-	1785	P	-	-	-	-	-	existence of this assayer is doubtful
31	39	193	1785	M	2	56	F-VF	7	9	
32	40	194	1786	M	-	-	-	7	9	Calbeto photo; R.S. collection
33	41	195	1787	M	1	144	AEF	5	6	a few prooflike examples were found around 1960
-	42	196	1788	M	-	-	-	-	-	existence is unconfirmed
-	43	197	1789	M	-	-	-	-	-	Carlos III posthumous. Unconfirmed and doubtful
34	44	198	1789	M	-	-	-	6	8	CAROLUS IV with bust of Carlos III. R.S. collection
35	45	-	1790/89	M	2	58	VF-EF	6	7	
-	46	199	1790	M	-	-	-	-	-	all 1790 pieces seen are overdates
-	-	200	1790	M	-	-	-	-	-	Carolus IIII with bust of Carlos III does not exist
-	-	201	1790	M	-	-	-	-	-	CAROLUS IV with proper Carlos IIII bust does not exist
36	47	202	1790	M	4	143	VF-EF	5	7	Carolus IIII with proper Carlos IIII bust
37	48	203	1791	M	2	60	EF	3	5	
38	-	204	1792	M	1	146	EF	4	5	
39	49	205-6	1793	M	3	96	EF-AU	3	5	
40	50	207	1794	M	4	144	A.UNC	3	4	
41b	51	208	1795/4	M	2	62	Fine	5	7	
41a	52	209	1795	M	2	63	EF-AU	3	5	
42	53	210	1796	M	2	64	EF	2	3	
43b	-	-	1797/6	M	-	-	-	5	7	FLC & Co. auction 11/83, lot 210 with clear photo
43a	54	211	1797	M	1	149	AVF	3	5	
44	55	212	1798	M	3	98	EF+	4	6	
45	56	213	1799	M	3	99	VF+	4	6	
46	57	214	1800	M	3	100	EF	3	5	
47	58	215	1801	M	3	101	AEF	5	6	
48	59	216	1802	M	3	102	EF	3	5	
49	60	217	1803	M	1	151	AEF	3	5	
50	61	218	1804	M	1	152	AEF	3	5	
51	62	219	1805	M	3	103	AEF	4	5	
52	63	-	1806/5	M	1	154	EF+	3	5	
-	64	220	1806	M	-	-	-	-	-	Faistauer piece and all others examined are overdates
53	65	221	1807	M	1	155	VF-EF	3	5	
-	66	222	1808	M	-	-	-	-	-	Carlos IIII legend and bust. Calbeto photo. All altered?
54	67	224	1808	M	4	147	VF-EF	4	6	FERDIND VII legend but bust Carlos IIII
55b	-	-	1809/8	M	4	148	A.UNC	5	6	
55a	68	226	1809	M	2	67	EF	3	5	
56	69	227	1810	M	2	68	VF-EF	3	5	
-	-	228	1811	M	-	-	-	-	-	with Carlos IIII bust does not exist
57	71	223	1808	M	-	-	-	6	8	FERDIN VII with his bust. Faistauer/Peters 4/76, #171
-	-	225	1809	M	-	-	-	-	-	this date and 1810 with proper bust do not exist
58	72	229	1811	M	4	149	VF	5	8	

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59	73	230	1812	M	-	-	-	4	6	FLC & Co. list 44; R.S. collection
60	74	231	1813	M	3	105	A.UNC	2	3	
61	75	232	1814	M	2	70	A.UNC	2	4	
62	76	233	1815	M	1	158	AEF	2	4	
63	77	234	1816	M	4	151	UNC	2	3	
64	78	235	1817	M	2	73	EF	2	4	
65	79	236	1818	M	1	160	A.UNC	1	3	
66	80	237	1819	M	3	108	VF	1	4	
67	81	238	1820	M	2	76	EF	1	3	
68	82	239	1821	M	1	162	AU-UNC	1	2	the final colonial date - may have been made 1821-1823
-	83	-	1822	M	-	-	-	-	-	YRIARTE photo. Exists only with altered date

MEXICO CITY - See section after Lima and Cuzco.

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1	1	328	1752	J	-	-	-	6	7	Faistauer/Peters 4/76, lot 216 (photo)
2	2	329	1753	J	1	230	EF	3	5	
3b	-	-	1754/3	JD	3	173	VF-EF	5	7	
3a	3	330	1754	JD	1	231	VF-EF	3	4	
4b	-	-	1755/4	JD	-	-	-	5	7	FLC & Co. 11/77 to E.G. collection
4a	4	331	1755	JD	1	232	EF	3	5	
5	5	332	1755	JM	3	174	VF-EF	3	4	
6b	-	-	1756/5	JM	-	-	-	5	6	FLC & Co. auction 5/80, lot 176
6a	6	333	1756	JM	3	175	VF-EF	2	4	
7b	-	-	1757/6	JM	1	235	VF-EF	5	6	
7a	7	334	1757	JM	1	236	VF-EF	1	3	
-	8	-	1758/7	JM	-	-	-	-	-	this overdate is unconfirmed by us
8	9	335	1758	JM	3	177	A.UNC	1	3	
9	10	336	1759	JM	3	178	EF+	3	6	dot over both left and right mintmarks (all 1752-59)
10a	11	-	1760	JM	-	-	-	5	8	FERDND VI; dot over left mintmark. Faistauer 4/76, lot 225
10b	11	337	1760	JM	1	238	AVF	3	7	FERDND VI; dot over both left and right mintmarks
11	12	339	1760	JM	2	121	VF	6	8	CAROLUS III. All pieces cited have ''double dot''
12a	13	341	1761	JM	3	179	VF-EF	1	5	single dot (= dot over left mintmark only)
12b	13	-	1761	JM	1	239	EF+	3	6	double dot (= dot over both left and right mintmark)
13a	14	-	1762	JM	1	240	EF	1	5	single dot
13b	14	342	1762	JM	2	124	EF	1	5	double dot
14a	15	-	1763	JM	-	-	-	10	10	single dot. Should exist but unconfirmed
14c	-	-	1763/2	JM	-	-	-	8	9	double dot: E.G. collection
14b	15	343	1763	JM	1	241	EF	5	8	double dot
15a	16	-	1764	JM	-	-	-	10	10	single dot. Should exist but unconfirmed
15b	16	344	1764	JM	3	180	EF+	4	5	double dot
16a	17	345	1765	JM	3	181	A.UNC	3	5	single dot
16b	17	-	1765	JM	1	243	VF-EF	3	5	double dot. Confirmed and not rare
17a	18	346	1766	JM	1	244	VF-EF	1	5	single dot
17b	18	-	1766	JM	-	-	-	10	10	double dot. Should exist but unconfirmed
18a	19	347	1767	JM	3	183	EF	1	3	single dot
18b	19	-	1767	JM	-	-	-	10	10	double dot. Should exist but unconfirmed
19a	20	348	1768	JM	1	246	EF-AU	1	2	single dot
19b	20	349	1768	JM	-	-	-	4	5	double dot. Calbeto photo; also John Cobb 1983 ANA
20a	21	350	1769	JM	1	247	EF	1	3	royal crown on both pillars. single dot
20b	21	-	1769	JM	3	187	VF+	4	5	royal crown on both pillars. double dot
21a	22	351	1769	JM	1	248	EF	5	7	royal crown right and imperial left. single dot
21b	22	-	1769	JM	-	-	-	7	10	as last. double dot. E.L.L. collection, Malaysia
22c	23	-	1770	JM	2	133	VF	7	10	no dot over left nor right mintmark

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22a	23	352	1770	JM	3	189	EF-AU	1	3	single dot
22b	23	353	1770	JM	1	250	EF	3	5	double dot
23a	24	354	1771	JM	4	250	EF	2	3	usual ''HASPIN'' spelling. single dot
23b	24	355	1771	JM	-	-	-	6	8	double dot. Calbeto photo
23c	25	-	1771	JM	3	192	VF+	7	10	''HIAPSN'' error spelling. single dot variety
24	26	356	1772	JM	1	252	EF	4	6	pillar type - final year. All cited pieces are single dot
25	27	357	1772	JM	2	138	VF	3	5	bust type
26	28	358	1773	JM	1	253	VF-EF	3	5	
27	29	359	1773	MJ	2	140	VF	5	8	
28	31	360	1774	JM	-	-	-	7	8	Elizondo photo - coin sold by Colonial Coins 8/78, #854
29	30	361-2	1774	MJ	4	252	EF	2	5	
30	32	-	1775	MJ	-	-	-	2	5	FLC & Co. auction 3/81, lot 207
31	33	-	1776	MJ	1	255	EF	2	5	
32	34	-	1777	MJ	3	194	EF-AU	3	5	
33	35	366	1778	MJ	4	254	EF	2	5	
34	36	367	1779	MJ	4	255	EF+	2	4	
35	37	368	1780	MJ	4	256	VF-EF	5	8	
36	38	369	1780	MI	1	258	EF+	2	4	
37	39	370	1781	MI	1	259	EF-AU	2	4	
38a	40	372	1782	MI	3	196	EF	3	5	
38b	-	371	1782	MJ	-	-	-	-	-	FLC auction 11/83, lot 292. Probably MI with irregular 'I'
39	41	373	1783	MI	1	260	EF	3	5	
40	42	374	1784	MI	2	144	A.UNC	4	7	
41	43	375	1785	MI	2	145	VF	4	7	
42	44	376	1786	MI	3	198	A.UNC	3	5	
43b	-	377	1787/6	MI	2	147	A.UNC	2	5	
43a	45	378	1787	MI	-	-	-	2	5	FLC list 35. Common but many are weak overdates
44	46	379	1787	IJ	3	199	A.UNC	5	8	
45	47	380	1788	IJ	3	200	VF	2	5	
46	48	381	1789	IJ	2	149	EF	3	7	Carlos III legend and bust (posthumous)
47	49	382	1789	IJ	2	150	VF	2	6	'CAROLUS IV' legend with bust of Carlos III
48	50	383	1790	IJ	1	262	VF	1	5	
49	51	384	1791	IJ	1	263	AEF	2	6	CAROLUS IV
50	52	385	1791	IJ	3	202	AEF	2	5	CAROLUS IIII
51	53	386	1792	IJ	1	264	VF	1	4	
52	54	387	1793	IJ	1	265	EF+	1	4	
53	55	388	1794	IJ	1	266	A.UNC	1	4	
54	56	389	1795	IJ	1	267	AEF	1	4	
55a	57	390	1796	IJ	1	268	VF	1	4	legend with '8R' as usual
55b	58	-	1796	IJ	-	-	-	-	-	legend with 'R8' error. FLC & Co. list 42, 3/78, photo
56	59	391	1797	IJ	1	269	EF+	1	4	
57	60	392	1798	IJ	3	205	AEF	2	4	legend with '8R' as usual
-	61	-	1798	IJ	-	-	-	-	-	legend with 'R8' error. Probably does not exist
58	62	393	1799	IJ	1	271	VF-EF	2	4	
59	63	394	1800	IJ	1	272	EF	1	4	
60	64	395	1801	IJ	3	206	VF-EF	1	4	
61	65	396	1802	IJ	1	274	VF	2	4	
62	66	397	1803	IJ	1	275	VF+	3	6	
63	67	398	1803	JP	1	276	A.UNC	2	5	
64	68	399	1804	JP	1	277	VF-EF	1	3	
65	69	400	1805	JP	2	152	AU-UNC	1	1	
66b	-	-	1806/5	JP	4	260	EF	4	5	
66a	70	401	1806	JP	2	153	EF-AU	1	2	
67	71	402	1807	JP	1	280	A.UNC	2	4	
68	72	403	1808	JP	2	155	A.UNC	1	2	CAROLUS IIII legend and bust
69	73	404	1808	JP	2	156	AVF	4	7	FERDND VII with very large imaginary bust
70a	74	406	1809	JP	1	282	VF	3	6	FERDND VII with very large imaginary bust

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70b	74A	405	1809	JP	-	-	-	3	6	as last but slightly smaller bust. FLC list 15 (11/74)
71	75	407	1809	JP	2	157	VF+	4	7	FERDIN VII with smaller imaginary bust
72	76	408-9	1810	JP	1	283	EF	1	3	imaginary bust
73	77	411	1811	JP	1	284	VF-EF	2	4	imaginary bust
-	78	-	1810	JP	-	-	-	-	-	proper bust. J. Schulman (1972) - photo. All altered?
74	79	412	1811	JP	4	261	AU-UNC	3	5	proper bust
75	80	413	1812	JP	2	160	VF-EF	1	3	
76	81	414	1813	JP	3	212	AU-UNC	1	2	
-	-	415	1814/2	JP	-	-	-	-	-	Calbeto photo is inconclusive; otherwise unreported
77	82	416	1814	JP	2	162	A.UNC	1	3	
78	83	417	1815	JP	1	285	A.UNC	1	2	
79	84	418	1816	JP	1	286	EF-AU	1	2	
80	85	419	1817	JP	2	165	VF-EF	1	3	
81	86	420	1818	JP	3	216	EF-AU	1	2	
82	87	421	1819	JP	2	167	EF-AU	1	2	
83	88	422	1820	JP	3	218	UNC	1	2	
84	89	423	1821	JP	3	219	AU-UNC	2	4	
-	90	-	1822	JP	-	-	-	-	-	existence is highly doubtful
-	91	-	1892	JJ	-	-	-	-	-	Elizondo photo - counterfeit or altered
85b	-	-	1823	JP	-	-	-	-	-	Colonial bust die over republic C125. Elizondo photo
85a	92	424	1823	JP	3	220	EF	4	6	
-	-	-	1824	JP	-	-	-	-	-	listed by Calico (1981). Does not exist
86	93	425	1824	JM	3	221	A.UNC	4	5	

LIMA MINT COLONIAL COUNTERMARK OVER REPUBLIC 8 Reales 1822-1823 (C125)

87	E-P3	426	1824	-	4	265	VF	3	8	'1824' and crown over 1822JP republic 8R of C125
88	E-P4	427	1824	-	2	175	VF+	2	8	'1824' and crown over 1823JP republic 8R of C125. Notes: E-P1 and E-P2 are not proper listings as they refer only to poorly applied standard counterstamp punches. The C/m can appear on the obverse or reverse of the host coin. Also note FLC #85b above - the overstruck 1823JP

CUZCO (PERU) MINT - Provisional status in 1824 only

+	94	-	1824/3	T	-	-	-	-	-	Jess Peters/Higgins 6/73, lot 879. Unsubstantiated
1a	95	60-61	1824	T	1	289	EF	2	5	
2b	-	-	1824/3	G	3	224	VF	5	8	all Cuzco pieces of assayer G were issued by republicans
2c	96	62	1824	G/T	4	264	VF-EF	4	8	
2a	97	63	1824	G	3	223	EF	3	6	

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The listings for the pillar and portrait eight reales from the prolific Mexico City mint are out of alphabetical order for two reasons. First, the series is more intricately studied than similar emissions from the other mints and thus an itemized list is more difficult to assemble and more complex. Secondly, my knowledge of this series is cursory and fragmented in comparison to my information about the other major mints.

My limitations regarding the revolutionary war provisional issues struck under Ferdinand VII at Chihuahua, Durango, Guadalajara, Guanajuato, Valladolid and Zacatecas are so extreme that I did not even incorporate a provisional itemization of those pieces. I hope some "expert" will undertake that formidable task.

The rarity ratings from the Mexico City pieces should be viewed as tentative and inexpert. I made no attempt to differentiate the rarity between average and superior specimens. Most of the infrequently-located overdates and over-assayers have no rarity rating. I would appreciate serious collector input about this factor so that it can be added later.

My numbering system was nearly inadequate for this country's multiple-variety issues. Some collectors will not be pleased with my treatment of the dates such as 1761; constructive and specific renumbering proposals are solicited. Specialists should consider the more basic requirements of the typical "date collector" who does not want to be burdened by minor varieties. This is always a dilemma for any cataloguer.

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1	1	733	1732	F	-	-	-	5	7	Mo mintmark. Elizondo photo. Superior 8/75, #1957
2a	2	737	1733	F	-	-	-	5		Mo mm. Small crown over globes. Superior 8/83, #1081
2b	-	-	1733/2	F	-	-	-	6		Mo; small crown. See colonial 11/77, lot 356
3a	3	740	1733	MF	-	-	-	4		Mo; small crown; new assayer. Superior 8/83 #1082
3b	4	-	1733	MF	-	-	-	4		Mo; larger crown. Elizondo photo & Superior 8/75, #1959
4a	5	738	1733	F	-	-	-	5		M•X mintmark; small crown like 1732. Calbeto and Elizondo photos
-	5a	-	1733/2	F	-	-	-	10		M•X mintmark and larger crown. Thus unlikely to exist
4b	6	-	1733	F	-	-	-	5		M•X mintmark; larger crown. Superior 6/82, #1418
5	7	739	1733	MF	-	-	-	6		M•X mintmark; larger crown. Superior 6/82, #1419 and Elizondo photo
6b	8	742	1734/3	MF	-	-	-	3		Mo mintmark; small crown. FLC & Co. 11/83, lot 234
6a	9	743	1734	MF	4	165	VF-EF	2		Mo mintmark and small crown (used 1734-1771)
7	10	744	1735	MF	-	-	-	1		Superior 6/82, #1423. FLC & Co. 5/80, lot 105
8b	-	-	1736/5	MF	-	-	-	-		M.M. collection
8a	11	745	1736	MF	1	165	AEF	2		
9	12	746	1737	MF	1	166	EF	1		
-	13	-	1738/6	MF	-	-	-	10		no verification. Overdate pieces seen were 8/7
10b	14	747	1738/7	MF	-	-	-	-		M.M. collection. Ponterio 5/82, #581
10a	15	748	1738	MF	1	167	VF-EF	1		
11b	-	-	1739/8	MF	1	168	A.UNC	3		
11a	16	749	1739	MF	2	80	AEF	1		
12b	17	750	1740/30	MF	-	-	-	2		Superior 8/83, #1090. Sometimes listed as 1740/39
12a	-	751	1740	MF	1	170	EF	1		
13	18	752	1741	MF	2	82	EF+	1		
14b	-	-	1742/1	MF	-	-	-	4		Superior 8/83, lot 1093
14a	19	753	1742	MF	3	115	EF	1		
15b	-	-	1743/2	MF	1	173	VF-EF	3		
15a	20	754	1743	MF	2	84	EF-AU	1		
16c	-	-	1744/3	MF	-	-	-	-		wide date variety. Superior 8/83, lot 1097
16a	22	755	1744	MF	1	175	EF	1		wide date variety
16b	21	-	1744	MF	-	-	-	5		closed date variety. FLC & Co. 5/80, lot 113
17	23	756	1745	MF	2	87	EF+	1		
18b	-	-	1746/5	MF	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, lot 1101
18a	24	757	1746	MF	4	170	VF-EF	1		
19	25	758	1747	MF	1	176	VF	2		Philip V posthumous
20	26	759	1747	MF	1	177	VF+	3		Ferdinand VI
21b	27	760	1748/7	MF	-	-	-	3		Superior 8/83, lot 1106
21a	28	761	1748	MF	1	178	EF+	1		
22	29	762	1749	MF	1	179	EF	1		
23	30	763	1750	MF	2	90	EF+	1		
24	31	764	1751	MF	3	121	VF	1		
25b	32	765	1752/1	MF	-	-	-	4		M.M. collection. FLC & Co. 5/80, lot 122
25a	33	766	1752	MF	4	172	EF+	1		
26b	34	767	1753/2	MF	-	-	-	4		Superior 8/83, lot 1112
26a	35	768	1753	MF	3	123	EF+	1		two royal crowns (like all 1732-53) and assayer MF
27b	36	-	1754/3	MF	-	-	-	6		two royal crowns. Superior 6/82, #1444
27a	37	770	1754	MF	1	181	VF-EF	2		two royal crowns
28b	-	-	1754/3	MM	-	-	-	8		two royal crowns. M.M. collection
28a	38	-	1754	MM	-	-	-	7		two royal crowns with new assayer. Superior 6/82, #1446
29	39	771	1754	MF	-	-	-	5		one imperial and one royal crown. FLC & Co. 5/80, #125. Previous assayer initials.
-	-	769	1754/3	MM MF	-	-	-	10		Calbeto plate. Needs verification.
30b	-	-	1754	MM MF	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, lot 1119

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30a	40	772	1754	MM	1	182	VF	2		one imperial and one royal crown. new assayer initials
31b	-	-	1755/4	MM	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1121
31a	41	773	1755	MM	1	183	VF	1		
32b	42	774	1756/5	MM	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1123
32a	43	775	1756	MM	3	126	EF	1		
33b	44	-	1757/6	MM	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1125
33a	45	776	1757	MM	1	184	VF	1		
34	46	777	1758	MM	1	185	AEF	1		crown above globes has double line below from 1732-60
35	47	778	1759	MM	3	128	EF-AU	1		cross point divides "HISPAN" between "I-S" from 1732-60
36b	-	-	1760/59	MM	-	-	-	-		Ferdinand VI (posthumous). Superior 8/83, #1129
36a	48	779	1760	MM	-	-	-	2		FERDND • VI
37b	-	-	1760	MM	-	-	-	5		CAROLVS • III engraved over FERDND • VI. M.M. collection
37a	49	780	1760	MM	4	175	EF+	2		CAROLVS • III. Usual double-arc and "I-S"
-	50	-	1761	MM	-	-	-	10		division between "I-S" but only single arc. Unconfirmed.
38b	-	-	1761/0	MM	-	-	-	-		"I-S" and double arc. Superior 8/83, #1132.
38a	51	781	1761	MM	3	129	VF+	2		"I-S" and double arc.
38c	-	-	1761	MM	-	-	-	6		cross point directly under "I". double arc. Superior 8/83 #1135
38d	-	-	1761/0	MM	-	-	-	-		cross point divides at "H-I". double-arc. M.M. collection
38e	52	782	1761	MM	1	187	EF	1		cross point divides "HISPAN" as "H-I". double arc
38f	53	-	1761	MM	3	131	VF+	2		cross point divides at "H-I". single arc
39b	-	-	1762/1	MM	-	-	-	6		Superior 8/83, #1140. FLC 5/80, #138 (double arc)
39a	54	783	1762	MM	1	188	VF	1		single arc
40	55	784	1762	MF	-	-	-	6		new assayer initial. Superior 6/82, #1460.
41c	-	787	1763/53	MF	-	-	-	-		Calbeto plate (clear photo). single arc
41d	56	-	1763/2	MF	-	-	-	3		Superior 6/82, #1462. FLC & Co. 5/80, #140 (single arc)
41e	57a	-	1763/1	MF	-	-	-	10		Unconfirmed but very possibly exists
41a	-	788	1763	MF	-	-	-	7?		double arc. Calbeto plate is clear.
41b	57	-	1763	MF	3	132	AEF	1		single arc
42b	-	-	1763/1	MM	-	-	-	5		Superior 8/83, #1142
42c	58	785	1763/2	MM	-	-	-	5		Superior 8/83, #1143
42a	59	786	1763	MM	-	-	-	6		Superior 8/83, #1145
43c	60	-	1764/3	MF	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1149
43a	61	-	1764	MF	-	-	-	5		double arc. FLC & Co. 5/80, #142
43b	62	789	1764	MF	4	179	EF-AU	1		single arc
44c	-	-	1765/4	MF	-	-	-	-		M.M. collection
44b	63	790	1765	MF	3	133	VF-EF	4		double arc
44a	64	-	1765	MF	3	134	VF-EF	1		single arc
45b	65	791	1766/5	MF	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1152
45a	66	792	1766	MF	2	100	VF	1		single arc - standard on all pieces 1766-1771.
46b	-	-	1767/6	MF	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1154. FLC & Co. 5/80, #147
46a	67	793	1767	MF	4	180	EF+	1		
47b	-	-	1768/6	MF	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1156
47c	68	794	1768/7	MF	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1157
47a	69	795	1768	MF	1	190	EF	1		
48	70	796	1769	MF	3	136	EF+	1		
49	71	797	1770	MF	1	191	F-VF	2		
50b	-	-	1770/69	FM	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1160. New assayer initial.
50c	-	-	1770	FM MF	-	-	-	-		M.M. collection
50a	72	798	1770	FM	4	182	AEF	1		
51b	73	-	1771/0	FM	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1164
51a	74	799	1771	FM	3	138	AEF	1		final confirmed date of Mo pillar series
-	75	800	1772	FM	-	-	-	10	-	either unique (as often stated) or does not exist
52	76	801	1772	MF	4	183	VF	4		bust type. initials face rim. error in initial's order?

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53	77	802-3	1772	FM	1	192	VF	1		initials and mintmark face rim but in correct order
54a	78	804	1773	FM	1	193	VF+	1		initials face rim
54b	79	805	1773	FM	1	194	AVF	1		initials face inward (as typical bust style)
55	80	806	1774	FM	3	139	VF	1		
56	81	807	1775	FM	4	184	A.UNC	1		
57	82	808	1776	FM	4	185	EF+	1		
58b	-	-	1777/6	FM	-	-	-	-		M.M. collection
58a	83	809	1777	FM	3	142	EF	1		
59	84	810	1777	FF	-	-	-	3		new assayer initial. Superior 6/82, #1478
60b	85	-	1778/6	FF	-	-	-	-		M.M. collection. possibly 8/7?
60a	86	812	1778	FF	1	196	A.UNC	1		
61	87	811	1778	FM	-	-	-	8		old reverse die used. Superior 6/82, #1479
-	88	813	1779	FM	-	-	-	10		old reverse die but probably does not exist
62b	-	-	1779/8	FF	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1321
62a	89	814	1779	FF	1	197	UNC	1		
63	90	815	1780	FF	4	187	AVF	1		
64	91	816	1781	FF	-	-	-	1		Superior 8/83, #1325
65	92	817	1782	FF	3	144	VF+	1		
66	93	818	1783	FF	1	198	AU-UNC	1		
67	94	819	1783	FM	-	-	-	8		new assayer initial. M.M. collection
68	95	820	1784	FF	2	106	VG	3		old reverse dies used
69	96	821	1784	FM	1	199	EF+	1		
70	97	822	1785	FM	3	146	VF+	1		
71b	-	-	1786/5	FM	-	-	-	-		M.M. collection
71a	98	823	1786	FM	4	188	EF+	1		
72b	99	824	1787/6	FM	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1331
72a	100	825	1787	FM	1	200	A.UNC	1		
73	101	826	1788	FM	1	201	EF-AU	1		
74b	-	-	1789/8	FM	-	-	-	-		CAROLUS III. Superior 8/83, #1336.
74a	102	827	1789	FM	1	202	EF-AU	3		CAROLUS III (posthumous)
75	103	828	1789	FM	1	203	A.UNC	1		CAROLUS IV with bust of Carlos III
76	104	829	1790	FM	1	204	EF+	1		CAROLUS IV with bust of Carlos III
77	105	830	1790	FM	1	205	EF	1		CAROLUS IIII with bust of Carlos III
-	106	-	1790	FM	-	-	-	10		CAROLUS IIII with correct bust does not exist
78	107	831	1791	FM	-	-	-	1		Superior 8/83, #1343
79	108	832-3	1792	FM	1	206	UNC	1		
80	109	834	1793	FM	3	150	EF-AU	1		
81	110	835-7	1794	FM	1	207	EF	1		
82	111	838	1795	FM	3	151	A.UNC	1		
83	112	839	1796	FM	1	209	EF	1		
84	113	840	1797	FM	1	210	A.UNC	1		
85	114	841	1798	FM	4	192	F-VF	1		
86b	115	842	1799/7	FM	-	-	-	9		Calbeto with clear photo
86a	116	843	1799	FM	3	154	EF+	1		
87b	-	-	1800 1790	FM	-	-	-	-		M.M. collection
87a	117	844	1800	FM	-	-	-	1		Superior 8/83, #1349
88b	118	-	1801/0	FM	-	-	-	-		M.M. collection
88a	119	845	1801	FM	-	-	-	3		Superior 8/83, #1350
89b	-	-	1801/0	FT FM	-	-	-	-		M.M. collection
89c	120	-	1801	FT FM	3	155	F-VF	1		
89a	121	846	1801	FT	-	-	-	1		supposedly common but so is typical FT/FM
-	122	847	1802	FM	-	-	-	10		probably does not exist
90b	-	-	1802/1	FT	-	-	-	-		M.M. collection
90c	-	-	1802	FT FM	4	193	F-VF	3		

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90a	123	848	1802	FT	3	156	VF-EF	1		
-	-	-	1803	FM	-	-	-	9		Money Company 6/81, #534. needs study.
92b	-	-	1803	FT FM	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1354.
92a	124	849	1803	FT	4	194	EF+	1		
93	125	850	1803	TH	2	109	VG	3		
94b	-	-	1804/3	TH	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1357
94a	126	851	1804	TH	4	192	AVF	1		
95b	127	-	1805/4	TH	-	-	-	-		M.M. collection
95a	128	852	1805	TH	1	211	A.UNC	1		
96	129	853	1806	TH	-	-	-	1		Superior 6/82, #1495
-	130	854	1806	FH	-	-	-	-	-	Contemporary Counterfeit
-	-	-	1870	FM	-	-	-	-	-	Elizondo photo and Money Co. 6/83, #618F. Phony.
-	131	-	1870	TH	-	-	-	-	-	Elizondo lists but his photo shows "FM". Phony.
-	132	-	1807/6	TH	-	-	-	10	-	probably exists but no confirmation
97	133	855	1807	TH	1	212	A.UNC	1		
98b	-	-	1808/7	TH	-	-	-	-		CAROLUS IIII. Superior 6/82, #1497
98a	134	856	1808	TH	3	159	VF+	1		CAROLUS IIII
99	135	857-8	1808	TH	4	196	EF	3		FERDIN VII with imaginary bust
-	136	-	1809/8	TH	-	-	-	10		probably does exist but no citing
100	137	859-60	1809	TH	3	160	AU-UNC	1		
101b	-	-	1809	HJ TH	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1365
101a	138	861	1809	HJ	-	-	-	1		Superior 8/83, #1366
102b	139	861a	1810/09	HJ	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1367
102c	-	-	1810	HJ TH	4	197	AVF	-		
102a	140	863	1810	HJ	1	213	UNC	1		
103	141	862	1810	TH	-	-	-	5		Superior 6/82, #1499
104b	142	864	1811/10	HJ	2	113	VF+	2		
104c	-	-	1811	HJ TH	-	-	-	-		M.M. collection
104a	143	865	1811	HJ	-	-	-	1		imaginary bust. Superior 6/82, #1499
105	144	866-7	1811	HJ	3	161	AEF	3		proper bust of "FERDIN • VII"
106	145	868	1812	HJ	1	215	AEF	3		
107b	-	867a	1812/1	JJ HJ	-	-	-	-	-	Calbeto without photo
107c	146	869	1812	JJ HJ	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1380
107a	147	870-1	1812	JJ	-	-	-	1		Superior 6/82, #1503
108	148	873-4	1813	JJ	-	-	-	1		Superior 8/83, #1382
109	149	872	1813	HJ	1	216	AVF	3		
110	150	875	1814/3	HJ	-	-	-	7		Superior 6/82, #1504
-	151	877	1814	HJ	-	-	-	-	-	all are probably overdated 1814/1813.
111b	152	876	1814/3	JJ	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1384
111a	153	878	1814	JJ	-	-	-	1		FLC & Co. 11/83, lot 245
112b	154	879	1815/4	JJ	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1385
112c	-	-	1815	JJ HJ	-	-	-	-		Superior 8/83, #1386
112a	155	880-1	1815	JJ	-	-	-	1		Superior 8/83, #1387
113b	156	882	1816/5	JJ	3	163	A.UNC	1		Ponterio 2/82, #684
113a	157	883	1816	JJ	-	-	-	1		Ponterio 2/82, #683
114	158	884-5	1817	JJ	-	-	-	1		Superior 8/83, lot 1389
115	159	886	1818	JJ	1	218	A.UNC	1		
116	160	887	1819	JJ	1	219	A.UNC	1		
117	161	888-9	1820	JJ	-	-	-	1		Superior 8/83, #1392
118	162	890-1	1821	JJ	-	-	-	1		Superior 8/83, #1393

Date and assayer initials are listed for any piece listed by Elizondo or Calbeto or other commonly used reference without regard to whether they actually exist. Those that probably do not exist have no F. CRAIG number. Also I give some information about these spurious listings to aid further research.

Ray Johnson Sale # is the portion of the four sale auction which contained that particular coin. Sale #1 was Nov. 17, 1981. Sale #2 was March 31, 1982. Sale #3 was on Nov. 9, 1983. Sale #4, the final portion, took place May 10, 1983.

Lot # in that Sale refers to the actual lot within each individual sale. This is useful since all pieces have photographs. The net grade of Ray's best specimen is also cited.

RARITY RATING in AVF and EF+ is given for all South and Central American issues. AVF indicates a typical circulated example. EF+ means a slightly circulated but noticably superior coin without significant flaws.

Many pieces are only scarce in AVF but outright rare in high grade. A date collector needs this information to determine whether it is worthwhile to acquire an average-condition specimen as a "filler" while he waits for a premium-quality example to become available. This information is seldom, if ever, available. A definition of my 1-10 scale is below.

In the Mexican series, I did not rate the rarity in high grade due to lack of expertise. Salvaged coins are included in the AVF rating category.

VALUATIONS are not given. Changes in the worldwide and local economic status affect the values on a constant basis. Likewise, popularity and investor-hoarding can easily cause major market changes. However, with rare exceptions such as the discovery of a hoard, the rarity of any given piece hardly changes. Sophisticated collectors base most "buy" decisions on the coin's rarity in the available condition.

Attribution Data; Comments; Confirmation is the area where I provide data indicating the differences between varieties and subtypes. Where space allows, I supplied at least one sales record for that particular coin with an attempt to cite a reference that had a good photograph. Sometimes I questioned the existence of a particular item; refutations of this are solicited.

Overdates and over-assayer initials are listed. While some are quite rare, most are not in great demand. Specialized collectors should place a noticably higher value on clear or bold underdetail. Pieces exhibiting virtually no traces of the underdetail are worth about as much as "plain" dates.

Bibliography of Additional References cited are summarized below.

I) FLC indicates Freeman Craig & Company auctions and fixed pricelists. Particularly relevant are our non-Ray Johnson auctions of May, 1980; March, 1981; and Nov., 1983. Copies of these sales and various older fixed-pricelists are available at a small fee.

II) D.C., M.M., S.V.S., F.C., L.M., Leo Mooy, R.S., E.G., and E.L.L. indicate private collections containing that particular item. I have viewed either the specific coin or its photograph in most cases.

III) Calico (1981) refers to their *Monedas Espanolas desde Felipe III a Isabel II,* fourth edition. While used extensively in Spain and Europe, most USA collectors seldom study it. The Yriarte and Lopez-Chaves *Catalogo de los Reales de a Ocho Espanoles* is well worth obtaining. The Castan-Cayon volumes as well as Dasi's classic reference should be considered. Collectors in Latin America often use Burzio's *Diccionario de la Moneda Hispanoamericana.* Collectors also interested in minors (¼ Real through 4 Reales) should study Robert Harris's *Pillars and Portraits,* first and second editions. Long-time collectors still cite *SDNSA* by Wayte Raymond. Other specialized references cover segments in detail. Of particular note are Ernesto Sellschopp's works on Peruvian coins.

IV) Major auctions of the past decade are an excellent source of data. Collectors should acquire the major sales of Jess Peters, Henry Christensen, Superior Galleries and Almanzar. Sales lists and auctions from Louis Hudson, Rick Ponterio, Mike Dunigan, Louis Collins, the Money Company, RARCOA, NASCA, Richard Long and other specialists are worth consideration. Of particular relevance to this study are the Faistauer collection sale held by Jess Peters in April, 1976 and the various Superior Galleries Mexican collection auctions (particularly their recent sales of June, 1982 and August, 1983).

The **Rarity Rating** Scale developed for this study can be loosely interpreted to indicate the following:

Rarity 1 means very common and almost always available. 1000+ pieces exist.
Rarity 2 indicates quite common and very frequently available. 500-1000 pieces exist.
Rarity 3 indicates moderately scarce with about 100-500 pieces extant.
Rarity 4 indicates noticably scarce but locatable. Probably 50-100 exist.
Rarity 5 indicates a rarity but not of immense proportion. Around 20-50 known.
Rarity 6 indicates a rare coin that is seldom publicly available. Assume 10-20 exist.
Rarity 7 indicates a rare piece which is available only every few years. 5-10 may exist.
Rarity 8 indicates a great rarity which might be offered less than once per decade.
Rarity 9 indicates that my research could only prove the existence of a single example.
Rarity 10 indicates that my research could not uncover even one piece, albeit such may exist.

Please do contribute your comments and confirmation data by corresponding with the author. Proper credit will be given to those desiring it.